



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

MEMORANDUM

TO: Office of the Commission Secretary

FROM: Office of General Counsel *WCS*

DATE: July 28, 1999

SUBJECT: MUR 4830-Memo to the Commission

The attached is submitted as an Agenda document for the Commission Meeting of _____

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SENSITIVE

TO: The Commission

FROM: Lawrence M. Noble
General Counsel

BY: Lois G. Lerner 
Associate General Counsel

SUBJECT: Shorter Voting Deadline in MUR 4830

As the Commission discussed this matter only recently, at its July 20, 1999 Executive Session, and to afford the respondents expeditious notice, pursuant to the Circulated Vote Procedures of Directive 52, the Office of the General Counsel is circulating the attached memorandum on a 24 hour tally vote basis.

Attachment

Staff Assigned: Eugene H. Bull



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TO: The Commission

FROM: Lawrence M. Noble
General Counsel

BY: Lois G. Lerner *sp*
Associate General Counsel

RE: MUR 4830—Udall for Us All Committee and
Carolyn H. Gonzales, as treasurer

At the July 20, 1999 Executive Session, the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to find reason to believe that the South Bay Voter Registration PAC and Susan Burnside, as treasurer (the "PAC"), violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(a)(1)(A) and 441b, in connection with a \$5,000 contribution the organization made to Udall for Us All Committee and Carolyn H. Gonzales, as treasurer ("Udall Committee" or "Committee"). The Commission also voted to make the corresponding Section 441a(f) finding against the Udall Committee, but did not take a vote in connection with the corresponding Section 441b recommendation against the Committee found on page 12 of the First General's Counsel's Report.¹ The Commission did fail by a vote of 2-4 to find reason to believe that the Udall Committee violated Section 441b in connection with receiving a loan. In order to achieve consistency with the Commission's vote with respect to the PAC and the approved Factual and Legal Analysis and Conciliation Agreement for the Udall Committee, this Office recommends that the Commission find reason to believe the Committee violated Section 441b in connection with the contribution it received from the PAC. (The relevant analysis is contained in the First General Counsel's Report in this

¹ See First General Counsel's Report in this matter, dated June 21, 1999.

matter.) The Office of the General Counsel is circulating this memorandum on a 24 hour tally vote basis.

RECOMMENDATION

Find reason to believe that the Udall for Us All Committee and Carolyn H. Gonzales, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b in connection with a \$5,000 contribution received from South Bay Voter Registration PAC.

Staff Assigned: Eugene H. Bull